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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled PHARMACEUTICAL IMPLANT CONTAINING IMMEDIATE RELEASE AND SUSTAINED RELEASE COMPONENTS AND METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION.

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- ☐ A disk containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences in a computer readable format is attached. The contents of the sequence listing in the application is the same as the document on the disk. (37 CFR 1.821(f) and MPEP 2422.06)
- ☒ Attached is 1 Sheet of Drawings (35 USC 113).

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	Total No. of Claims	No. of Claims Without Additional Fee	Excess Claims	\$ Rate	Fee
Total Claims Fee	25	20	5	x 18	90
Independent Claims Fee	3	3		x 78	0
Multiple Dependent Claim	0			x 260	0
Basic Fee					690
Total Filing Fee					\$ 780

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This application is being made, or is authorized to be made, by the inventor(s) as set forth on the attached Inventor Information Sheet. The person or persons listed are believed to be the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed on the attached Inventor Information Sheet) or original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed on the attached Inventor Information Sheet) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought.

The undersigned hereby requests that all correspondence and telephone communications in connection with this application be directed to the undersigned person at the mailing address and telephone number shown below.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures:

- ☒ Patent Application
- ☒ Declaration (37 CFR 1.63) and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Assignment with Cover Page
- ☐ Disk containing Nucleotide and/or amino Acid Sequence Listing
- ☒ Return Post Card
- ☒ Drawing(s)